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In re Application of Morrow, et al.

Appln. No. 09/967,283

Filed 09/28/2001 Group Art Unit: 3711

Title RECONFIGURABLE GAMING MACHINE.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**Applicant(s)**

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Robert Miodunski, Residence Not Provided;

**Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant**

**Foreign Applications**

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**Title**

Reconfigurable gaming machine

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## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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Affidavits/declaration(s)

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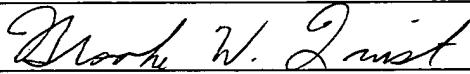
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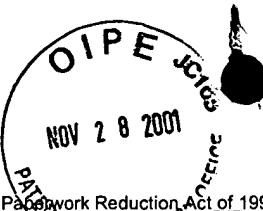
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### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201 370 Utility filing fee	
106	330	206 165 Design filing fee	
107	510	207 255 Plant filing fee	
108	740	208 370 Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214 80 Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	-20** =	X =	=
Multiple Dependent	- 3** =	X =	=

### Large Entity Fee Code (\$)

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103	18	203 9 Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
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139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
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117	920	217 460 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month	
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119	320	219 160 Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221 140 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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141	1,280	241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional	
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